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## REPORT

*Of the Receipts and Expenditures of the Town of Middleton for the Year Ending March 1, 1893.*

### *Appropriations.*

Inventory,	\$97,151 00
State tax,	305 00
County tax,	486 64
School tax,	213 50
Library tax,	15 00
Overlay,	48 57
Dog tax,	35 00
Non-resident highway,	345 57 85
Resident highway,	625 66

### *Receipts.*

Cash in Treasury March 1, 1892,	\$623 09
Unsettled taxes in former Collecto'r lists,	482 28
Amount of resident taxes committed to Jacob H Cook for collection, except dog taxes,	688 36
Non-res. except high- way,	380 35
Non-res. <del>except</del> highway,	345 85
Dog tax,	35 00
Resident highway from Surveyor's list of 1891,	28 29
Received of Charlotte E Roberts for the Charles H Jones property sold to town for taxes 1890	31 21

State Treasurer, Savings Bank tax,	\$574 08
State Treasurer, Literary fund	62 72
Received for dog licenses (from Treasurer's book,)	66 37
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	\$3,317 60

*Expenditures.*

Paid John H Young, Treasurer of School Board, for support of schools,	\$367 58
for books and supplies,	18 39
	—
	\$385 97

*State and County Taxes.*

Paid Solon A Carter, State Treasurer,	\$305 00
I P Berry, County Treasurer,	486 64
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	\$791 64

*Highways.*

Paid Ellsworth Drew, winter of '91-2, Dis. 3,	\$15 78
Charles F Wallace, " " " 1,	1 80
George E Pinkham, " " " 4,	3 83
David E Burrows, " " " 7,	2 70
Stephen F Pinkham, " " " 8,	3 35
Luther H Downing, " " " 1,	4 53
John H Young, " " " 4	2 41
Charles H Leighton, " " " 5,	6 57
George J Tufts, " " " 9,	1 36
Charles L Cook, " " " 2,	2 43
Samuel E Moore, " " " 6,	1 80
George W Stevens, " " " 4,	3 05
Eri P Twombly, " " " 4,	2 21

Paid	Jonas D Willey,	winter '91-2, Dis. 1,	\$1 79
James D Pike,	"	" 5,	75
George W Stevens,	" '90-1,	" 4,	4 74
Charles F Wallace,	" '92-3,	" 1,	8 62
David E Burrows,	"	" 7,	3 00
Charles L Cook,	"	" 2,	10 00
Samuel Young,	"	" 1&8,	7 40
Leander E Tibbetts, on highway,	" 4,		9 64
Lewis F Young, June 6, '92,		5,	3 00
John A Brown,	"	" 5,	1 50
John H Young,	"	" 5,	1 50
Joseph W. Tufts,	" 7, '92.	" 3,	50
Thomas Drew,	" "	" 3,	1 00
Jonathan B Stevens,	" 3, '92,	" 2,	1 50
Warren T Colbath,	" 5, '91,	" 10,	75
Joseph W Tufts, Feb. 24, '93,		" 3.	2 25
Thomas Drew,	" "	" 3,	3 35
George J Tufts,	" "	" 3,	1 80
Charles D Tufts,	" "	" 3,	60
Charles F. Wallace, on highway,	" 1,		6 00
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			\$118 51

*Non-Resident, Allowed.*

Warren L Colbath, Dis. 5 and 9,	\$3 00
Cyrus E York, " 2 5,	4 50
Albert F Wood, " 1	3 50
Emma A Whitehouse, " 1	7 00
A W Thompson, " 9	2 50
Heirs John Chesley, " 3 9	14 00
Martin L Hayes, " 1 3	14 00
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	\$48 50

*Town Library.*

Paid DeWolfe Fiske & Co., books,	\$15 00
State Board Library Com., supplies,	5 80

C W Jenness, boards for book case,	1 90
Charles H. Pitman, insurance,	3 00
J H Young, express, freight, money order,	1 05
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	\$26 75

*Miscellanecus*

Paid Albert S Baker, on school dis. check list	\$6 00
John H Young, " " " " "	6 00
Edson C Eastman, Collector's book and	
12 Surveyor's books	1 83
Leander E Tibbetts, dynamite	2 00
Arthur H Wiggin, att'y on dog cases '91	18 00
G L Plummer, 576 ft. bridge plank	5 67
Lewis F Young, drawing same	2 00
Eben E Barry, surveyor on town lines	4 00
Stephen Nutter, sheriff's fees, dog cases '91	9 44
J E Fernald, printing check lists '91,	2 50
J Tuttle, police court costs, dog cases, '91,	10 36
A G Orne, witness fees and mileage, dog	
cases, '91,	2 74
D E D Frost, witness fees and mileage,	
dog cases, '91,	3 22
J E Scruton, return of births and deaths, '92,	1 75
John H Young, labor on town house,	2 50
Warren L Colbath, over taxation,	2 00
C. H Shapleigh, lodging two tramps.	1 00
Albert M Stevens, dog damages, '89,	\$10 00
John H Young, stationery and postage,	1 50
John H Young, perambulating town lines,	10 00
Luther H. Downing, " " " "	7 50
Luther H Downing, 1-2 cord of wood,	2 00
Luther H Downing, labor on town house	
and lumber	1 00
John H Young, as health officer	2 00
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	\$115 01

*Town Officers,*

Charles F Wallace, Special Police officer,	\$5 00
L H Downing, Supervisor of check lists,	5 00
John S Pike, "	10 00
Albert S Baker, "	15 00
George J Tufts, "	4 00
George J Tufts, member of School board,	7 00
John H Young, "	12 00
David E D Frost, Town clerk,	22 00
Lewis F. Young, " treasurer,	12 00
Luther H Downing, Selectman,	30 00
Thomas Drew, "	30 00
John H Young, "	50 00
G J Tufts and E P Twombly, Auditors,	2 00
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	\$204 00

*Abatements.*

John H Cloutman's list of 1888:	
Jacob H Cook, dog tax,	\$2 00
Edwin Cook, tax,	3 78
John H Cloutman's list of 1890:	
John P Rollins, tax,	3 80
Samuel Rollins, tax,	1 10
John H Cloutman's list of 1891:	
Albert M Stevens, dog tax,	1 00
Joseph H Knowles, dog tax,	2 00
John S Pike, "	1 00
Charles E Pinkham, tax,	1 12
Charles D Tufts, "	4 36
Jacob H Cook's list, 1892:	
James D Pike, on cow and sheep lost,	38
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	\$20 54

*Recapitulation.*

Paid Schools,	\$385 97
State and County taxes,	791 64
Highways,	118 51
Non-resident,	48 50
Town library,	26 75
Miscellaneous,	115 01
Town officers,	204 00
Abatements,	20 54
Unsettled taxes on Collectors' lists	587 97
Cash in Treasury March 1 1893,	1,018 71
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	\$3,317 60

*Assets.*

Due on W B Place's list of 1887,	\$99 49
John H Cloutman's lists of 1889-90-91,	76 01
Jacob H Cook's list 1892,	412 47
Jacob H Cook's town note,	63 45
Cash in Treasury March 1, 1893,	1,018 71
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Liabilities, (estimated.)	\$1,670 13
	100 00
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Amount of assets above liabilities, " March 1, 1892 (per report)	\$1,570 13
	865 23
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Increase of assets the present year	\$704 90
JOHN H. YOUNG,	Selectmen of Middleton.
THOMAS DREW,	
LUTHER H. DOWNING,	

Having examined the foregoing accounts we find them correctly cast, well vouched and balanced.

GEORGE J. TUFTS, }  
ERI P. TWOMBLY, } Auditors.

Middleton, March 4, 1893.

## TREASURER'S REPORT.

### *Receipts.*

Cash in treasury March 1, 1892	\$623 09
Received of David E D Frost, Town Clerk,	
dog licenses	66 37
Jacob H Cook, Collector 1892,	1,065 00
John H Cloutman, Collector on	
lists 1888-'89-'90-'91	286 62
Selectmen	668 01
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	\$2,709 09

### *Expenditures.*

Paid on Selectmen's orders	\$1,690 38
Cash in treasury March 1, 1893	1,018 71
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	\$2,709 09

LEWIS F. YOUNG, Treasurer.

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## Report of the Treasurer of the School Board

FOR THE YEAR ENDING MARCH 1893.

### *Receipts.*

Town School money for 1892,	\$213 50
State Literary      "      "	58 75
Town      "      "      "	20 00

Cash from Treasurer from 1891,	7 56
Town Treasurer    "	26 14
dog tax,	11 00
licenses,	80 63
Whole amount of School funds	\$417 58

### *Expenditures.*

Paid Julia E Sheehan, teacher	Spring term	\$5 00
Bertha R Wiggin,	" "	20 00
Florence V Putney,	" "	24 90
Albanus M White,	" "	45 00
Isa L Wood,	" "	3 50
Minnie A Higgins,	Fall	17 50
Albanus M White,	" "	54 00
Florence V Putney,	" "	56 00
Mary E Cook, board,	Spring	14 00
A M Whitehouse,	" "	16 00
Adeline E Hilton,	" "	22 50
Adeline E Hilton,	Fall	27 50
A M Whitehouse,	" "	17 50
Mary E Cook,	" "	28 00
Lewis F Young, school wood		2 00
Charles L Cook,	" "	2 50
George J Tufts,	" " and glass,	1 75
John H Young, 16 penholders,		16
John H Young, two boxes of crayon,		30
John H Young, express bills,		60
John H Young, money orders and postage,		46
John H Young, District Treasurer's book,		75
Cash in Treasurer's hands,		8 56
Cash in Town Treasurer's hands,		50 00
		\$417 58

JOHN H. YOUNG,  
Treasurer of School Board.

## VITAL STATISTICS.

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Groom, Walter F. Leighton; bride, Lizzie S. Drew; residence of groom and bride, Middleton; color of groom and bride, white; occupation of groom, carpenter; birthplace of groom and bride, Middleton; number of marriage of groom and bride, one; intention filed Mar. 12, 1892. By whom married, W. I. Sweet; residence, Farmington; official station, clergyman; date of marriage, Mar. 12, 1892; place, Farmington. Name of groom's father, Charles H. Leighton; residence, Middleton; occupation, farmer; birthplace, Middleton. Name of groom's mother, Hannah Whitehouse; residence, Middleton; occupation, housekeeper; birthplace, Middleton. Name of bride's father, Horace Drew; residence, Middleton; birthplace, Middleton. Name of bride's mother, Maggie Walker; residence, Middleton; occupation, housekeeper.

Groom, William W. Perkins; bride, Eveline M. Allen; residence of groom, Middleton; residence of bride, South Berwick Me.; age of groom, 21; age of bride, 18; color of groom and bride, white; occupation of groom, weaver; birthplace of groom, Dover; birthplace of bride, South Berwick; number of marriage of groom and bride, one; intention filed July 2, 1892. By whom married, David E. D. Frost; residence, Middleton; official station, justice of the peace; date of marriage, July 2, 1892; place, Middleton. Name of groom's father, Samuel Perkins; residence, Middleton; occupation, farmer; birthplace, Middleton.

Groom, Samuel Young; bride, Mary A. Lougee; residence of groom and bride, Middleton; age of groom, 50; age of bride, 48; color of groom and bride, white; occupation of groom, farmer; occupation of bride, housekeeper; birthplace of groom, New Durham; birthplace of bride, Acton; number of marriage of groom, 3; number of marriage of bride, 2; intention filed Sept. 17, 1892. By whom married, A. G. Orne; residence Middleton; official station, justice of the peace; date of marriage, Sept. 29, 1892; place, Middleton. Name of groom's father, Joel Young; residence, Middleton; occupation, blacksmith; birthplace, Farmington. Name of groom's mother, Mary Durgin; residence, Middleton.

Child's name, not named; date of birth, Nov. 15, 1892; place of birth, Middleton; sex, female; color, white; living; number of children, 2; father's name, Edgar N. Stevens; birthplace, Middleton; residence, Middleton; occupation, farmer; mother's maiden name, Annie Cleveland; occupation, housekeeper; physician, Dr. Scruton.

Child's name, twins, not named; date of birth, Dec. 13, 1892; place of birth, Middleton; sex, female; color, white; living; number of children, 5; father's name, Warren Stevens; birthplace, Middleton; residence, Middleton; occupation, farmer; mother's maiden name, Etta Eaton; birthplace, Brookfield; occupation, housekeeper; physician, Dr. Scruton.

Name, Charles E. Pinkham; place of death, Middleton; date of death, Feb. 19, 1892; age, 51 years; place of birth Farmington; sex, male; color, white; occupation, farmer; cause of death, la grippe; place of burial, Farmington.

Name, Clarissa D. Whitehouse; place of death, Middleton; date of death, Feb. 8, 1892. age, 73 years; place of birth, Middleton, sex, female; color, white; widow; occupation, housekeeper; cause of death, la grippe; place of burial, Middleton.

Name, Hiram B. Frost place of death, Middleton: date of death, Feb. 7, 1892; age, 78 years; place of birth, Middleton; sex, male; color, white; widower; occupation, farmer; cause of death, la grippe. place of burial, Middleton.

Name, Sarah M. Young place of death, Middleton: date of death, Feb. 6, 1892: age, 60 years. place of birth, Dover: sex, female: color, white; married; occupation, houskeeper; cause of death, cancer.

Name, Charles H. Jones: place of death, Middleton: date of death, July 3, 1892; age, 35 years; place of birth, Middleton; sex, male: color, white; occupation, farmer: cause of death, consumption: place of burial, Middleton.



